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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Yanagi et al.
Appl. No. : 09/980,559
Filed : May 14, 2002
For : CLONED GENOME OF INFECTIOUS
HEPATITIS C VIRUS OF GENOTYPE
2a AND USES THEREOF
Examiner : Li, Bao Q.
Group Art Unit : 1648

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO EXAMINER'S INTERVIEW

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Examiner's interview, conducted 1 November 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.